

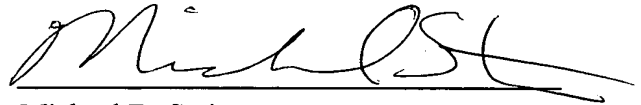
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REMARKS

Claims 38-67 are pending in the application. Claims 56-63 have been allowed. Claims 38-55 and 64-67 stand rejected under 35 USC § 112, second paragraph, for reasons given on page 2 of the Office Action. In particular, the Examiner feels that the recitation "the at least one consumer location" lacks antecedent basis and should be "the at least one remote consumer location". In the above amendment, the claims have been rewritten to address this issue. The Examiner is respectfully urged to enter the above amendment and withdraw the rejection, and issue an early Notice of allowance for all of the pending claims, namely claims 38-67.

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